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The Honorable Paula Hawkins, Chairman
Caucus on International Narcotics
Control
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Madam Chairman:

I am responding to your 12 March 1986 letter to the Director of Central Intelligence requesting a closed briefing for the Senate Caucus on International Narcotics Control on 20 March 1986. As we have discussed with Jim Schollaert of your staff, 25 March at 3:00 p.m. is a mutually agreeable alternate date, which will enable us to prepare a briefing in keeping with the Caucus' wishes. We look forward to meeting with the Caucus.

Sincerely,

/s/ David D. Gries

David D. Gries
Director, Office of Congressional Affairs

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March 12, 1986

The Honorable William Casey
Director of the Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Bill:

The United States Senate Caucus on International Narcotics Control, which was established by Section 814 of Public Law 99-93, would like to request an informal closed briefing for members and staff by you or your designated representative on Wednesday, March 20, 1986 at 3:00 pm.

This Caucus, which consists of seven members of the Senate and five public members, to be appointed by the President, is authorized and directed to:

- (1) monitor and promote international compliance with narcotics control treaties, including eradication and other relevant issues; and
- (2) monitor and encourage United States Government and private programs seeking to expand international cooperation against drug abuse and narcotics trafficking.

We would appreciate being briefed on current Agency activities in our international narcotics control efforts. In particular, we are interested in our capability to monitor crop eradication activities in foreign countries and the extent of political corruption in these countries which can be linked to narcotics trafficking.

We look forward to your participation on March 20. Should you have any questions, please contact John Dudinsky (224-1540) or Scott Green (224-5701).

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The Honorable William Casey
March 12, 1986
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Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Paula", with a large, stylized initial "P" that loops around the first few letters.

Paula Hawkins
Chairman, U.S. Senate
U.S. Senate Caucus
on International
Narcotics Control